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Kamloops, B.C.  
V2C 6H1

Dear Friends:

This year, the Kamloops-Shuswap Peace Council is organizing the local Tools for Peace campaign, in an effort to raise the much needed supplies and equipment for shipment to Nicaragua.

Tools for Peace is a project of the Coalition for Aid to Nicaragua, a volunteer non-profit organization composed of over 60 coalitions across Canada. Every year, churches, unions, community groups and thousands of volunteers have taken part in the campaign - collecting tools to build, teach and heal. Tools for Peace also lobbies the Canadian government to increase aid to Nicaragua and to take a more active role in the Central American peace process. Some of its supporters are Iona Campagnola (President, Liberal Party of Canada), Pauline Jewett (MP, NDP), Bishop Remi de Roo (Victoria), Bob White (President, United Auto Workers), Mike Harcourt (Mayor of Vancouver), Bruce Cockburn and Oxfam-Canada.

We would like to limit the collection of goods to items requested by Nicaragua. The reason for this is that lots of a few important items is of much more value than a few of many different items. Useful items not listed will not be turned down, however. High on the priority list are:

PENCILS FOR PEACE (new pencils and notebooks)  
BLANKETS FOR PEACE (new or near-new blankets)  
BUILDING PEACE (hammers and saws)  
BOOTS FOR PEACE (rubber boots, long-handled shovels,  
axes and sharpening files)  
MEDICAL SUPPLIES (gauzes, adhesive tapes and anti-septics)

SANITARY NAPKINS (standard, adhesive-backed, sanitary napkins - no tampons, please)

Although individual and group donations of the supplies are urgently needed, financial donations are much more practical. Easily transferred, these can be accumulated and combined to purchase NEW supplies at bulk and discount prices.

Tools for Peace has not yet been granted its own charitable status. Our work must qualify as a "charitable activity" in order to be supported by a registered charity in Canada.

OXFAM-Canada has supported the project since its inception six years ago. However, due to its own increased work-load since the time of the African famine, OXFAM has found it increasingly difficult to administer our program at peak campaign periods. Now, INTER PARES has assumed responsibility for receiving, receipting and administering the funds for our campaign.

CASH DONATIONS, in order to be receipted, will be sent to the INTER PARES office by us in cash envelopes.

CHEQUES, which do not require a tax receipt, can be made out to COALITION FOR AID TO NICARAGUA.

CHEQUES, which do require a tax receipt, must be made out to INTER PARES (Tools for Peace), and will be sent by us to INTER PARES in Ottawa. (Note: Make sure that the notation "Tools for Peace" is there in order for us to get credited with the donation.)

ALL SUPPLIES will be transported to and stored in the Vancouver warehouse, then shipped to Nicaragua by the end of January, 1987.

For more information, please contact Donna Biro in Kamloops at (604) 554-2246.

Yours in Peace,

Paul Van Zand

Chairperson, Kamloops-Shuswap Peace Council.



# TOOLS FOR PEACE

EACH YEAR, TOOLS FOR PEACE COLLECTS TOOLS TO TEACH, BUILD & HEAL FOR NICARAGUA.

PRIORITY ITEMS THIS YEAR INCLUDE:

- BLANKETS • RUBBER BOOTS
- PENCILS & NOTEBOOKS
- SANITARY NAPKINS
- MEDICAL SUPPLIES (GAUZE, ANTISEPTICS)
- HAMMERS, SAWS, AXES, FILES
- LONG-HANDLED SHOVELS

FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS WILL BE USED TO PURCHASE THE ABOVE ITEMS IN BULK.

THESE ITEMS, SO COMMONPLACE TO CANADIANS, CANNOT BE PROCURED OR PRODUCED BY THE NICARAGUANS.

DROP OFF YOUR DONATION AT:

MT. PAUL UNITED CHURCH, CARIBOO COLLEGE STUDENT SOCIETY

OR CALL 374-3269 OR 554-2246 OR 376-1550  
PICK-UP CAN BE ARRANGED.

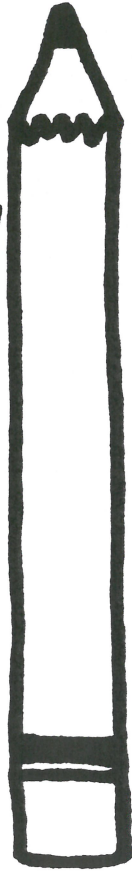
VIDEO & SPEAKER AVAILABLE TO GROUPS ON REQUEST.

TAX DEDUCTABLE MONETARY DONATIONS CAN BE SENT TO:  
INTER PARES (TOOLS FOR PEACE)  
c/o KAMLOOPS-SHLISWAP PEACE COUNCIL  
P.O. BOX 973  
KAMLOOPS, V2C 6H1

INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS DAY

DECEMBER 10, 1986

ONE PERSON  
ONE PENCIL



OUR OBJECTIVE:

TO COLLECT ONE PENCIL FROM EVERY CITIZEN  
OF KAMLOOPS FOR SHIPMENT TO NICARAGUA.

DROP OFF YOUR CONTRIBUTION AT:

- CARIBOO COLLEGE STUDENT SOCIETY
- CARIBOO COLLEGE BOOKSTORE
- NORKAM SECONDARY
- KAMLOOPS SR. SECONDARY

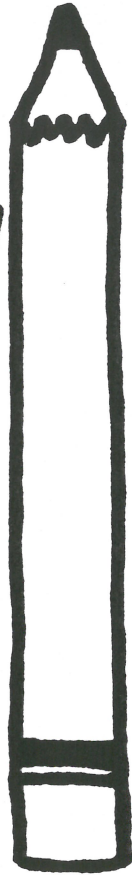
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